

IN THE UNITED STATES
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

Applicants: Donald F. Gordon et al. **Case:** SEDN/168CIP2C1
Serial No.: 10/826,187 **Examiner:** Brown, Rueben M.
Filed: 04/15/2004 **Group Art Unit:** 2424
Confirmation #: 9800
Title: SERVICE PROVIDER SIDE INTERACTIVE PROGRAM GUIDE
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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SIR:

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

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This Statement of Substance of Interview is filed in response to the Interview Summary mailed October 6, 2008.

In the event that an extension of time is required for this response to be considered timely, and a petition therefor does not otherwise accompany this response, any necessary extension of time is hereby petitioned for.

Applicants do not believe that any fee is due in connection with this submission. In the event Applicants are incorrect, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees due, including excess claim and extension of time fees, to make this response timely and complete to counsel's Deposit Account 20-0782/**SEDN/168CIP2C1**.

REMARKS

This is intended as a full and complete response to the Interview Summary concerning an interview held on September 30, 2008, between Examiner Reuben M. Brown and Eamon J. Wall, Applicants' representative.

Applicants' representative thanks the Examiner for the courtesies extended during the interview and for taking time out of the Examiner's busy schedule to speak with Applicants' representative.

Applicants' representative acknowledges the summary of the Substance of Interview in the Interview Summary mailed on October 6, 2008. Applicants believe that the summary provided in the Interview Summary mailed on October 6, 2008 accurately reflects the telephone interview between Examiner Brown and Applicants' representative.

CONCLUSION

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and passage of the claims to allowance. If, however, the Examiner believes that there are any unresolved issues requiring adverse final action in any of the claims now pending in the application, it is requested that the Examiner telephone Eamon J. Wall at (732) 530-9404 so that appropriate arrangements can be made for resolving such issues as expeditiously as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

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